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Resolution A/RES/2346 (XXII) adopted by the United Nations General Assembly on 19 December 1967 called upon the Eighteen-Nation Committee on Disarmament, among other things, to continue its work, giving all due consideration to all proposals submitted to the Committee concerning non-proliferation and to the views expressed by Member States during the twenty-second session of the General Assembly.

In view of the short time separating us from 15 March, the date on which a full report on the state of our work is to be submitted to the United Nations General Assembly, the Italian delegation desires to make an initial contribution to the preparation of this report, at the same time facilitating the task of its drafters.

For this purpose, it has endeavoured to group, by chapter headings relating to the specific points raised, the various documents which reflect the opinions and proposals advanced from all quarters concerning the non-proliferation treaty. The Italian delegation expresses the opinion that these documents should be referred to in the report to the United Nations General Assembly.

The list of these documents, which is reproduced below, far from claiming to be complete, is, on the contrary, open to any additions and amendments which other delegations may wish to make to it:

A - Link between the non-proliferation treaty and other disarmament measures: the treaty as a first step towards the achievement of general and complete disarmament.

1. MEXICO, ENDC/196 of 19 September 1967
2. SWEDEN A/PV.1563
3. JAPAN A/PV.1563
4. UNITED KINGDOM A/PV.1567
5. ROMANIA A/PV.1584
6. ROMANIA ENDC/PV.362 of 6 February of 1968
7. SWEDEN ENDC/215 of 8 February 1968
8. BRAZIL ENDC/201/Rev.2 of 13 February 1968
9. UNITED KINGDOM ENDC/PV.369 of 22 February 1968
10. INDIA ENDC/PV/370 of 27 February 1968

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B - Balance of mutual responsibilities and obligations between nuclear and non-nuclear Powers

1. ROMANIA ENDC/199 of 19 October 1967
2. ITALY ENDC/PV.318 of 1 August 1967
3. ITALY ENDC/PV.326 of 29 August 1967
4. SWITZERLAND ENDC/204 of 24 November 1967
5. BRAZIL A/PV.1562
6. BURMA A/PV.1575
7. NETHERLANDS A/PV.1576
8. MALTA A/PV.1582
9. INDIA A/PV.1582
10. INDIA A/C.1/PV.1551
11. SUDAN A/PV.1585
12. PAKISTAN A/PV.1584
13. NIGERIA A/PV.1586
14. CEYLON A/PV.1588
15. GHANA A/C.1/PV.1553

C - Development of research and utilization of nuclear energy for peaceful purposes

1. ITALY ENDC/PV.289 of 28 February 1967
2. ITALY ENDC/PV.326 of 29 August 1967
3. CANADA ENDC/PV.329 of 12 September 1967
4. MEXICO ENDC/196 of 19 September 1967
5. ROMANIA ENDC/199 of 19 October 1967
6. BRAZIL ENDC/201/Rev.1 of 1 November 1967
7. NIGERIA ENDC/202 of 2 November 1967
8. SWITZERLAND ENDC/204 of 24 November 1967
9. BRAZIL A/PV.1562
10. JAPAN A/PV.1563
11. USSR A/PV.1563
12. CANADA A/PV.1569
13. ARGENTINA A/PV.1569
14. PARAGUAY A/PV.1579
15. INDIA A/PV.1582

16. ROMANIA A/PV.1584
17. NIGERIA A/PV.1586
18. INDIA A/C.1/PV.1551
19. SWEDEN ENDC/216 of 13 February 1968
20. BRAZIL ENDC/201/Rev.2 of 13 February 1968
21. ITALY ENDC/218 of 20 February 1968
22. NIGERIA ENDC/220 of 28 February 1968

D - Problem of security guarantees against nuclear attack and against the threat of such attack

1. ITALY ENDC/PV.326 of 29 August 1967
2. UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC ENDC/197 of 26 September 1967
3. ROMANIA ENDC/199 of 19 October 1967
4. NIGERIA ENDC/202 of 2 November 1967
5. UNITED STATES OF AMERICA A/1562
6. JAPAN A/PV.1563
7. GHANA A/PV.1565
8. CANADA A/PV.1569
9. MALTA A/PV.1582
10. JAMAICA A/PV.1584
11. PAKISTAN A/PV.1584
12. CEYLON A/PV.1588
13. FINLAND A/C.1/PV.1548
14. MALAYSIA A/PV.1581 - A/C.1/PV.1552
15. ROMANIA ENDC/PV.362 of 6 February 1968

E - Problem of the universality of the non-proliferation treaty

1. JAPAN A/PV.1563
2. MALTA A/PV.1582
3. TANZANIA A/PV.1583
4. LIBERIA A/PV.1587
5. BRAZIL A/C.1/PV.1551
6. GHANA A/C.1/PV.1553

F - Problem of control.

1. - ITALY ENDC/PV.289 of 28 February 1967
2. - ITALY ENDC/PV.326 of 29 August 1967
3. - ITALY ENDC/PV.341 of 24 October 1967
4. - SWEDEN ENDC/195 of 30 August 1967
5. - ROMANIA ENDC/199 of 19 October 1967
6. - SWITZERLAND ENDC/204 of 24 November 1967
7. - UNITED STATES OF AMERICA ENDC/206 of 5 December 1967
8. - UNITED KINGDOM ENDC/207 of 5 December 1967
9. - ROMANIA A/PV.1584
10. - ROMANIA ENDC/PV.362 of 6 February 1968

G - Vertical proliferation in its various aspects.

1. - UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC ENDC/197 of 26 September 1967
2. - SWITZERLAND ENDC/204 of 24 November 1967
3. - BRAZIL ENDC/201/Rev.2 of 13 February 1968

H - Regional denuclearization agreements.

1. - MEXICO ENDC/196 of 19 September 1967
2. - BRAZIL ENDC/201/Rev.2 of 13 February 1968

I - Duration of the non-proliferation treaty and problem of amendments.

1. - ITALY ENDC/PV.326 of 29 August 1967
2. - ROMANIA ENDC/199 of 19 October 1967
3. - ITALY ENDC/PV.341 of 24 October 1967
4. - BRAZIL ENDC/201/Rev.1 of 1 November 1967
5. - ITALY ENDC/PV.350 of 23 November 1967
6. - BRAZIL ENDC/PV.363 of 8 February 1968
7. - ITALY ENDC/218 of 20 February 1968

L - Periodic revision conferences.

1. - ROMANIA ENDC/PV.362 of 6 February 1968
2. - SWEDEN ENDC/215 of 8 February 1968
3. - ITALY ENDC/218 of 20 February 1968
4. - NIGERIA ENDC/220 of 28 February 1968

M - Right of withdrawal.

1. - NIGERIA ENDC/202 of 2 November 1967
2. - ROMANIA ENDC/PV.362 of 6 February 1968
3. - BRAZIL ENDC/201/Rev.2 of 13 February 1968

N - Entry into force of the non-proliferation treaty.

1. - SWITZERLAND ENDC/204 of 24 November 1967